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SUBJECT: CSCE/CBMS: CANADIAN PARALLEL INVITATION TO OBSERVERS
FOR "CERTAIN TREK"

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1. CANADIAN POLAD INFORMED US MORNING OF 16 SEPTEMBER THAT OTTAWA HAD ABANDONED THE IDEA OF SEPARATE CANADIAN PARALLEL INVITATIONS TO OBSERVERS FOR MANEUVER "CERTAIN TREK". AS ONLY CANADIAN, FRG AND US POLADS HAD BEEN AWARE OF OTTAWA'S INTENTIONS, THIS MATTER WAS NOT RAISED DURING SEPTEMBER 16 DISUSSION OF CBMS IN NATO POLITICAL COMMITTEE.

2. COMMENT: ON SEPTEMBER 15 WE DREW ON INSTRUCTIONS IN REF A IN CONVERSATION WITH FRG REP AND SUGGESTED HE MENTION THE US POSITION IN HIW CONVERSATIONS THAT DAY WITH THE CANADIAN POLAD. ON LEARNING OF OTTAWA DECISION THIS MORNING (SEPTEMBER 16), WE ATTEMPTED TO COMPLIMENT FRG REP ON HIS
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PERSUASIVENESS. HE DEMURRED, SAYING HE UNDERSTOOD IT WAS THE RESULT OF AN INTERVENTION BY THE CANADIAN EMBASSY IN BONN THAT WAS MOST EFFECTIVE IN PERSUADING OTTAWA TO DROP ITS PREFERENCE FOR INDEPENDENT CANADIAN INVITATIONS.

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